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for **INTERLAYER CONNECTIONS FOR LAYERED ELECTRONIC DEVICES**. The application comprises a 9-page specification, including 10 claims (2 independent) and Abstract and 3 sheets of drawings.

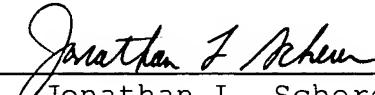
A certified copy of **Norwegian Application No. 20025772**, filed **November 29, 2002**, will follow in due course, the priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 and which is hereby incorporated by reference.

This application is being filed under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(f) (without Declaration or Filing Fee). The required Declaration and Filing Fee will be filed subsequently.

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